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POISONED THIRTY ONE

Startling Revelations in the Toppan Case Today at Boston.

Coal Mine Operators Held Responsible in Coroner's Jury Verdict.

A SHOT FROM DEM. CHAIRMAN

HAS POISONED THIRTY-ONE.

Boston, Mass., June 24.—The most sensational confession ever made by a person charged in this state with murder has just been made by Miss Jane Toppan, whose trial for the murder of Mrs. Maud D. Gibbs was finished at Barnstable yesterday. She was found not guilty by reason of being insane, but the jury ordered her confined in the Taunton Asylum for the insane for life.

The defendant has also been charged with the murder of Alden P. Davis and Mrs. G. D. Gordon at Oatunnet, whose deaths occurred within a short time of each other, and has been charged with numerous other crimes.

Today the prisoner made a confession to her senior counsel that she has killed in all thirty-one patients who were under her charge as nurse.

HOLDS OWNERS RESPONSIBLE.

Coal Creek, Tenn., June 24.—The coroner's jury, which has been investigating the cause of the Fraterville mine explosion May 19, reached a verdict at a late hour last night, and the finding is against the Coal Creek Coal company officials, owner of the mine, and against the state mine inspector, R. A. Shillett.

HOT ONE FOR BRYAN AND CLEVELAND.

Washington, June 24.—Representative Griggs, chairman of the Democratic National campaign committee, says of the Bryan-Cleveland controversy: "It is a fight of has-beens. Cleveland cannot hope to bring the great body of Democrats to his position. Bryan cannot expect to hold them with him. What we want to hear from are 'isars,' not 'has-beens.'"

FREED AT THE ALTAR

COLLIERVILLE YOUNG MAN RELEASED FROM PROMISE TO WED THAT HE MIGHT MARRY ANOTHER.

Binghamton, N. Y., June 24.—A sensation was caused here Saturday when it was announced that the wedding of Miss Florence Shafer, a society leader of Sharon, N. Y., has been indefinitely postponed, and the groom quietly wedded to Miss Corla Olmstead.

The groom was Wesley D. Emple of Collierville, Tenn., and he had promised to marry Miss Shafer, invitations having been issued for an elaborate wedding. Meanwhile he met and fell in love with Miss Olmstead, and on the day set for his wedding with Miss Shafer made full confession to her. She at once freed him from his promise, despite the fact that guests were arriving, and he was that day married to Miss Olmstead with the best wishes of the other young lady.

BURIAL IN GRAVES.

Lela, the seventeen-days-old daughter of Motormen R. R. Groves, died last night at the family residence on Madison street, and the remains will be buried in Graves county tomorrow.

THE MARKETS.

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	OPEN	CLOSE
WHEAT—		
July.....	74 1/2	74 1/2
September.....	72 1/2	72 1/2
December.....	72 1/2	72 1/2
COAL—		
July.....	67 1/2	67 1/2
September.....	66 1/2	66 1/2
December.....	66 1/2	66 1/2
CORN—		
July.....	37 1/2	37 1/2
September.....	36 1/2	36 1/2
December.....	36 1/2	36 1/2
PORE—		
July.....	15 30	15 40
September.....	15 50	15 60
LARD—		
July.....	10 05	10 07
September.....	10 72	10 70
OLIVE—		

WAS MOST GORGEOUS

Many People Witnessed the "Last Days of Pompeii" Last Night.

No Spectacle So Grand Ever Seen Before in the Entire State—Unequalled Fireworks.

A PRODUCTION EVERY NIGHT.

The most magnificent spectacular production ever witnessed in Kentucky is undoubtedly Pain's "Last Days of Pompeii," which was given for the first time last night at Sixteenth and Monroe streets to over 1,000 people. The stupendous affair is something that people who have never seen anything of the kind cannot comprehend until they witness it. Hundreds went there last night with no adequate idea of the gigantic proportions of the display. They were amazed as well as entertained, and many were heard to declare that they intended going every night.

The great spectacle of "Last Days of Pompeii" is one of Pain's great successes. He has produced it for twelve years, and now has six companies on the road, doing an enormous business. It requires hundreds of men of technical, artistic and histrionic ability to properly put them on, and the result is most trying.

The entrance to the big affair is gorgeous. The canvas walls have no cover, and the seats are arranged similar to those of a circus amphitheater. In full view of the vast expanse of seats is an excellent reproduction of the ancient city of Pompeii as it looked before the historic eruption of Vesuvius destroyed it. In the background looms up the ominous volcano that constantly smokes. An excellent likeness of the Parthenon makes a stage on which the various exhibitions are given.

The company carries a host of people but added to these are scores of supernumeraries, who are attired for the occasion in the costumes of the times, and form a brilliant and impressive spectacle as they march about on "fete day."

The golden calf, or "town cow" as some of them jocularly put it, is familiar in the foreground. The soldiers, gladiators, dancing girls and others make an extremely pretty sight as they march about to the specially arranged music. There are legions of them, and they form a continuous stream for some little time before the festivities at the ill-fated city begin.

Following the various marches, dances and ceremonies, typical of the times represented, a high class performance of some of the most noted acrobats and dancers of the country is given. The work is very clever. It is the best that can be secured and the feats were in most instances novel as well as unequalled to Paducahans.

Among the beautiful and magnificent features are the "Fire Dance of Isis," the "Golden Pony Ballet," the "Roman Youth Ballet" and a dance by a number of Greek slaves.

The costumes are rich and correct, and every piece from the garb of the humble fan bearer to the gorgeous raiment of Arabes is entirely new and cost all told, a small fortune.

At the conclusion of this, the eruption of the threatening Vesuvius takes place, and amid the roar of the explosions, the fire, smoke and fiery lava, the spectators see the walls crumble and the shrieking, terror-stricken natives flee to their deaths. It is a spectacle that thrills and awes, and its like has never been witnessed in anything ever given in the state. The display of fireworks that follows the eruption is the most brilliant and extensive ever seen, and includes everything known to experts in pyrotechnics. It lasts fully half an hour, and the set scenes are especially beautiful.

Preceding the performance proper Professor Stephens, under the direction of Prof. Price, the noted aeronaut who is celebrated the world over, and is an airship expert as well, makes a balloon ascension as the "human bomb," being concealed in an oval sack suspended from the balloon,

THE CORONATION IS POSTPONED

King Edward Is Operated on and London Is in a Ferment.

London, June 24.—The coronation, which was to have taken place Thursday has been indefinitely postponed because of the serious illness of King Edward. It is officially announced that the king is suffering from perityphlitis, an inflammation of the intestine.

It is privately admitted that his condition is more serious than has been admitted by the medical bulletin issued shortly after noon.

An operation was successfully performed on the king at 2 o'clock, and it was announced afterward that the patient was asleep.

At 2:45 the following bulletin was issued:

"Operation has been successfully performed. Large abscess has been evacuated. The king has borne the operation well, and is in a satisfactory condition."

There is the wildest excitement over the unexpected turn events have taken, and many are wagering that the coronation will never take place. The most startling rumors have been started as a result of the king's sudden illness, which came close onto his dinner last night at Buckingham palace to seventy royal personages, who

practically represented the sovereigns of all monarchs of the world.

The list of their majesties' guests was headed by the czar and wife of Russia, who arrived in London yesterday and included an imposing array of princes and princesses and all the members of the British royal family.

The dinner was followed by a brilliant reception which was attended by the members of the suites of all foreign potentates in London.

Joseph Chamberlain, the colonial secretary, and Mrs. Chamberlain, who was Miss Mary Endicott of Massachusetts, received the colonial premiers and other distinguished visitors from Great Britain's colonies at their London residence this evening.

A full and strictly private rehearsal of the coronation ceremonies took place there yesterday in which everybody, with the exception of the royal personages and the participants in the musical and religious features of the functions, rehearsed their respective duties. The archbishop of Canterbury, the Rev. Frederick Temple and the lord chancellor, the earl of Halsbury, were among those who were drilled in their parts under the superintendency of the Duke of Norfolk, the earl marshal.

IS HARD AT WORK

Congressman Charles K. Wheeler Will Do all Possible.

Is Now Conferring Relative to Paducah's Harbor.

The Commercial club this afternoon received from Congressman Charles K. Wheeler the following telegram:

"I am conferring with Hurton, chairman of the rivers and harbors committee, and McKinzie, chief engineer for the United States, about the harbor at Paducah. If anything can be done, will attend to it."

This is a result of another of the periodic agitations about Paducah's noted ice harbor being destroyed by the current of the river lopping off the end of Owen's Island and the tow-head. For several years this matter has repeatedly been brought to the attention of the authorities, but thus far nothing has been done. The only thing that can be done now is for congress to make an emergency appropriation.

FILED A PETITION IN BANKRUPTCY.

Oscar E. Brawner, a railroad brakeman, of the city, this afternoon filed a petition in bankruptcy, giving liabilities to the amount of \$203, with no assets.

THRESHER BLEW UP

And Killed William Watts, of Mayfield.

His Brother Supposed to Be Here But Could Not Be Located.

Last night a telephone message was received here from Mayfield inquiring for Robert Watts of that city, who was supposed to be here to see the Pompeii show. Watts came here from Mayfield yesterday at noon and soon after his departure a telegram was received by his people at Mayfield stating that his brother, William W. Watts, had been killed in Charleston, Mo., by the blowing up of a threshing machine. Watts was an engineer by trade and had been working about Charleston for some time.

No further information was given and last night it was impossible to locate Robert Watts here. The unfortunate man had prominent relatives in Mayfield.

WALKED FROM ARKANSAS.

George Washington Wise, who is about four feet tall, can hardly see and is 50 years old, applied to the mayor this afternoon for aid. He claims he walked here from Arkansas.

Mr. V. P. Barrick left at noon today for St. Mary, Va., to visit his mother.

THE NEW TEACHERS

Prof. C. B. Hatfield Re-elected Superintendent of the City Schools.

Only a Few Teachers Failed of Re-election—Miss Brazelton Succeeds Miss Dodson.

SEVERAL NEW MEMBERS

The board of education held its annual caucus last night at the high school building for the purpose of selecting teachers for the ensuing year.

While the result is equivalent to an election, the board meets in regular session this evening to formally ratify the selection made last night.

The teachers selected are:

White—C. B. Hatfield, superintendent; C. A. Norvell, principal of high school; Miss Emma I. Morgan, principal of Jefferson school; Miss Ada L. Brazelton, assistant principal of High school; Miss Mamie Noble, teacher in High school; Prof. J. E. Balder, principal of Longfellow school; Miss Ellen Willis, Miss Katie White, Miss Lora C. Brandon, Miss Ella Larkin, Miss Lillie Cook, Miss Lizzie Singleton, Miss Susanna Kirk, teacher in High school; Prof. J. T. Ross, principal of Lee school; Miss Beulah Young, Miss Mary O. Murray, Miss Lizzie A. Mohan, Miss Minnie Parker, Miss Cora Halley, Miss Ethel Mitchell, Miss Flora Davidson, Miss Clara Moore, Miss Hannah Bonds, Miss Iona Desha, Mrs. M. Herndon, Miss Sue Atchison, principal Langstaff school; Mrs. F. Taylor, Miss Emma Grigsby, Prof. A. M. Rouse, principal of Franklin school; Miss Emma Acker, Miss Ellen Torian, Miss Mabel Darick, Miss Beale Sinclair, Miss Mabel Roberts, Miss Elizabeth Rogers, Mrs. Cora A. Ellis, Mrs. L. Singleton, Miss Addie Byrd, Miss Hattie Sherwin, Miss Flora McKee, Miss Lillie Morrison, Miss Lissie Chapeze, Miss Laura Hand, Miss Jessie A. Byrd, Miss Rose Flournoy, Miss Lillie Burdine, Miss Bertha Kettler, Miss Mabel Mitchell, Miss Laura Thomas, Miss Johnnie Cayce, Miss Ellen Donigan.

Miss Lucy Scott of the city was elected substitute for the grammar grades. She recently graduated in Mississippi.

Colored—E. W. Benton, principal Lincoln school; T. D. Hibbs, principal Garfield schools; grammar and primary teachers; Isaac Nuckolls, J. L. Hamilton, Sallie Lowery, Lula G. Benton, J. F. Porter, Thomas Lawrence, M. V. Pier on, G. W. Harvey, Mary Overbey, Ida Baker, Pauline H. Myers, Laura C. Hibbs, Ophelia Brown. Mary Lawrence was elected a substitute.

The teachers will be assigned before the fall term begins.

The following teachers were not re-elected: Miss Cynthia Ewell, Mrs. May Rieck and Mrs. Ellen Wilcox.

The following new teachers were elected to fill the vacancies: Miss Lora Brandon, city, one of the graduates of this year; Lillie Cook, of the city, formerly of Marion, Ky.; Mrs. Cora A. Ellis, of the city and Miss Laura Thomas, of the city.

Prof. Snider's election will not be binding in case he is elected superintendent of the Hopkinsville schools.

Mrs. Katie Dorian received a very complimentary vote for assistant High school teacher.

KICKED BY A MULE

CHRISTIAN COUNTY BOY IN A PRECARIOUS CONDITION.

Hopkinsville, Ky., June 24.—The thirteen-year-old son of William Brodie, of Lafayette, was kicked by a mule, and is in a precarious condition. Young Brodie, about two weeks ago, shot John Brewer, aged ten, through the brain, but he will recover. The shooting was accidental.

SMITHLAND PEOPLE MARRY.

F. M. Harp of Smithland, aged 23, a farmer, and Blanche Noel of Smithland, aged 23, were this morning licensed to wed. It will make the first marriage of both.

THE POLICE BOARD

Appointment Not to be Made for Two or More Weeks by the Mayor.

The Names of Probable Members are Given—Are Good Jobs.

WILL BE STRONG YEISER MEN.

The ordinance providing for the appointment of a board of fire and police commissioners under the second class charter has not yet been given final passage in both boards, and it will perhaps be two weeks before it is a law, but there is much speculation as to the prospective members of the board, who while they nominally have the appointment of all police and station men, will in reality be more figureheads to do the bidding of the mayor.

The positions pay but a small amount a year, about \$50, but they are much sought after in second class cities, because of the patronage ostensibly at the disposal of the members.

It is not announced who will be appointed, but it is given out from a reliable source that those at present scheduled for the places are Messrs. R. R. Sutherland, M. W. Clark, Pete Rogers and Dr. John Bonds.

They are all staunch Yeiser men, and Mr. Clark is a former councilman, and Mr. Sutherland a former policeman under Mayor Yeiser's previous administration. It has been given out officially that Mr. Bonds will be one of the members of the board, but The Sun gives the first publication of the names of the other probable members.

RICH VEIN

Lead Discovered in Paying Quantities Near Salem.

Paducah Capitalists Are Interested in the Mine.

Mr. Mat Rawls, of the city who owns stock in the Marlon Zinc Co., has been notified that the operators have struck a rich vein of lead and silver spar and think that it will be mined in paying quantities. Mr. Rawls and Mr. George O. Wallace are the only Paducah people interested in this mine. The new vein discovered is between Salem and Dyousburg, Crittenden county.

INSPECTOR OF BRIDGES HERE.

MR. O. J. TRAVIS OF CHICAGO VISITING IN THE CITY TODAY.

Mr. O. J. Travis of Chicago, inspector of bridges of the entire Illinois Central system, is at the Palmer, and is making trip to inspect Cumberland and Tennessee rivers. He is one of the best men connected with the road, and his position is one of great importance.

NOT SETTLED YET.

A MEETING OF LEATHERWORKERS AND STOCKHOLDERS TODAY.

The Rehkopf strike remains unsettled and today the leatherworkers' committee will meet the stockholders and officers of the company and attempt to effect a settlement with them, all efforts towards that and with Mr. Rehkopf having failed. The harness men have been out now for more than a week and are anxious to have the matter settled.

KENTUCKY'S WAR CLAIM.

Frankfort, Ky., June 24.—Captain O. C. Calhoun telephoned Adjutant General Murray that he has won his fight at Washington to get the Kentucky war claim of \$1,900,000 allowed.

Hart's Refriger8ters

Is tip top and all right, they'll keep yer vituls kule as a kukumber, with orle little ice—You order tri um wonst fur luk.

After 20 YEARS test and best results reached in every instance, Hart feels he can safely offer the NEW ICEBERG refrigerator to the trade with absolute guarantee.

Constructed of hardwood; well seasoned; filled with especially prepared non-settling charcoal. It will always keep the ice—Having a perfect dead air space and constant circulation will preserve perishable articles perfectly—Satisfaction and low price are combined in this excellent box.

GEO. O. HART & SON,
HARDWARE AND STOVE CO.

DUELISTS INTERRUPTED

OFFICERS, WARNED BY THE WOMAN IN THE OASE, APPEAR IN THE NICK OF TIME.

Knoxville, Tenn., June 24—One of the most sensational instances of modern chivalry which has come to light in many days was that which occurred in this city Sunday at daybreak between two of the most prominent young men in town, when they met in a secluded spot to fight to the death a duel for the hand of Miss Florence E. Fair, one of the young belles of the season. The parties concerned in the affair, over which every possible effort for secrecy had been observed, are the young lady named, Prof. Frank Nelson, organist at St. John's church; James Chaslyn Smith, a prominent lawyer; Ralph Hommel and Alonzo Cain, both popular young men socially, the latter two acting as seconds.

Miss Fair is a music pupil of Prof. Nelson. Both he and Attorney Smith are rivals for her favor. Saturday she was promenading Gay street with the latter, when they were approached by Nelson, who made some cutting remark to Smith, the latter taking it so to heart that he finally wrote a formal challenge to Nelson. The latter accepted and seconds were chosen, Ralph Hommel for Nelson and Alonzo Cain for Smith. A secluded spot in the cedars at Magnolia park was the site selected. Dr. O. J. St. John was summoned for medical aid.

In closed hacks they drove to the scene about 4 o'clock. The men had taken positions on the field, ten paces apart, and their revolvers were raised, when a patrol wagon full of policemen and specials rushed to the scene. They had been warned by Miss Fair.

ROOF GARDEN.

CAPT. FOWLER'S COSY CORNER IS NOW COMPLETE.

Captain Joe Fowler's cozy corner, back of his office, jutting out towards the river, is now complete and handsomely furnished. He calls it his "roof garden," and is very proud of it. It is equipped with every convenience and commands a fine view of the river. It is destined to become very popular with those habitues of "Monkey Wrench Corner" who are fortunate enough to have access to it.

ELECTRIC TRAINS WRECKED.

Milan, June 24—Owing to a station master's mistake, two electric trains on the light railway from Varese to Port Ceresio were utterly wrecked in a collision. Forty-nine persons were killed or injured. The station master has fled to Switzerland.

RAILROAD EARNINGS.

Thirty-six railroads reporting for the second week of June show aggregate earnings of \$6,965,018, a gain of \$425,826, or 6.61 per cent.

You hold the Bank



We hold the Key
Citizens' Savings Bank, 34 & Broadway

SMALL WAGE EARNER

Can become the man of ease and wealth if he will only save a good part of his earnings. Spending money is a habit, to a great extent. Make up your mind to save a few pennies every day and you will soon form the savings habit, which is the most profitable and greatest pleasure bringing of all habits. With our Home Savings bank always before you, you have a constant reminder to put away something for the rainy days. Come, let us fit you out with a bank. We are as pleased to receive a small account as we are to receive the largest one.

CITIZENS SAVINGS BANK,

Third and Broadway
Paducah, Ky.

ORGANIZATION

DISCOURAGED

WESTERN UNION MEN DISCHARGED FOR AIDING THE PROPOSED UNION.

Chicago, Ill., June 24—The Western Union Telegraph company has opened a campaign in Chicago against the organization of its telegraphers. Nine men were discharged by Chief Operator Louis K. Whitcomb, without reason being assigned for their removal. The dropping of the men was announced today at a meeting of the commercial telegraphers, while they were perfecting the organization of their union. Two of the discharged men said they asked Mr. Whitcomb why they had been dismissed.

"I guess if you will search your brain you'll find out," was the reply they say they received.

The discharged men are reported good operators, attentive to business and capable of filling the most responsible positions. Seven of them immediately went to work for the Postal Telegraph company. The other two will be given work organizing the commercial operators, and any others who are discharged also will be put in the field.

GOOD SHOOTING.

THE RAILROAD GUN CLUB HELD ITS REGULAR SHOOT YESTERDAY.

The Railroad Gun club held its regular weekly shoot yesterday afternoon. The fine gun was won by Mr. Ben Starr, who broke fourteen out of fifteen. The score in that event was: Tapscott, 7; Mercer, 13; Moses, 13; Brown, 13; Baker, 12; Ben Starr, 14; Warner, 11; Robertson, 9; Davis, 12; Brooks, 11; Seitz, 7; Armstrong, 11; Davis, 10; Ben Starr, 10; Robertson, 11; Tapscott, 6; Moses Starr, 13; Brown, 8; Baker, 9; Robertson, 10.

Three matches were shot by teams organized from members of the railroad and the Paducah Gun clubs, resulting in the Paducah Gun club's team winning two out of three. The scores were: Railroad club—Moses Starr, 10 out of 10; Mercer, 8; Tapscott, 7; Armstrong, 9; Warner, 4; total, 38.

Paducah club—Ben Starr, 6; Davis, 6; Brown, 9; Wilkins, 5; Robertson, 7; total, 33.

Next match was, railroad club—Moses Starr, 9; Mercer, 6; Tapscott, 9; Armstrong, 8; Warner, 4; total, 35.

Paducah club—Ben Starr, 7; Davis, 5; Brown, 7; Wilkins, 10; Robertson, 9; total, 38.

Last match, Railroad club—Starr, 9; Mercer, 8; Tapscott, 6; Armstrong, 8; Baker, 3; total, 34.

Paducah club—Robertson, 9; Starr, 7; Rouse, 9; Wilkins, 8; Rivers, 6; total, 39.

FOR WIFE BEATING.

William McOure of Smithland will be tried by Judge Evans at that place today for beating his wife. It is claimed that he became offended because she filed suit against him for divorce, and gave her a beating for it.

THE TEST THAT TELLS

YOU CAN GET ALL THE CONVINING PROOF YOU WANT BY READING PADUCAH PAPERS.

When the reader wants any article of value he naturally prefers to deal with some one he can depend upon.

If mixed up in any law suit, a good, responsible lawyer is generally the first necessity sought.

If lost on a prairie, directions from a settler could be relied upon; those from a stranger would be doubted.

The test that tells the tale of merit is the test of friends and neighbors.

Paducah people endorse Doan's Kidney Pills.

Can you ask for better evidence?

Read this case:

Mr. T. G. Elder of 1901 Monroe street, carpenter at Illinois Central railroad, says: "A friend of mine who had procured Doan's Kidney Pills at Du Bois and Co.'s drug store and used them in his family recommended them so highly that I gave a little girl of ours, ten years of age, a course of the treatment. We have given her so much medicine for kidney weakness that she absolutely refused to take anything, but finally coaxing succeeded. Before she completed two boxes we stopped using the remedy because she no longer required it."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., sole agents for the U. S., Buffalo, N. Y.

Remember the name—Doan's—and

METROPOLIS CARNIVAL

DELEGATION OF K. P.'S HERE LAST NIGHT TO INVITE BRETHREN.

There is to be a carnival at Metropolis, Ill., beginning July 14 and lasting six days, given under the auspices of the Knights of Pythias. Elaborate preparations are being made, and it is intended to make it a big thing. Last night a delegation of Knights from Metropolis came up to formally invite Paducah Knights to attend. The party was composed of: J. A. Peter, A. J. Gobbons, J. G. Willis, E. P. Curtis, W. A. Fitch, R. S. Burks, Thomas LaCroix, J. O. Ferrell, Oscar Grace, A. E. Miller, John V. Evers, Olof Morris, Walter Roberts, Editors R. B. Thompson and J. T. Kimball and Hon. S. B. Kerr, member of the state legislature from that district.

SWAM FOR HIS PANAMA

ST. LOUIS MAN TAKES A COLD PLUNGE BATH AT LOUISVILLE.

Louisville, Ky., June 24—Henry Sturgeon, a young man from St. Louis, risked his life to save his Panama hat. A cold plunge in the Ohio had no terrors for him. The pleadings of a pretty girl were unheeded. The terrors of cold or pneumonia were not among those of the young man when he boldly swam after the costly head covering. A shout went up from those on the bank. The girl danced and clapped her hands as the young man, with the hat between his teeth landed on shore, after a terrific struggle.

Sturgeon was happy when he again reached ground, but his flannel suit was far from neat, and hung in folds. "Oh, don't worry about these," said Sturgeon, as he looked at himself, "the hat represents fifteen plunks and the suit only stood me \$5."

Sturgeon allowed the sun to shine upon him for an hour, and then he and the girl boarded a car for New Albany.

POLICE COURT

ONLY A FEW OFFENDERS BEFORE JUDGE SANDERS TODAY.

Judge Sanders held a brief session of police court this morning and the following business was transacted:

Mike Haffer, white, was fined \$1 and costs for drunkenness.

The breach of the peace case against J. T. Durham and Tom Ross was left open after a partial hearing of the evidence.

Pete Griffin was arraigned for a breach of the peace and the case continued.

Arthur Dunn was fined \$1 and costs for drunkenness.

Charles Johnson, colored, who escaped from the chain gang, was re-arrested and sentenced to serve out the remainder of his term on the chain gang at hard work.

Donie Jones, colored, was fined \$1 and costs for drunkenness.

An immorality case against Mrs. Hook and Tom Ross was continued.

TAX ON BABIES.

Extreme hot weather is a great tax upon the digestive power of babies; when puny and feeble they should be given a few doses of White's Cream Vermifuge, the children's tonic. It will stimulate and facilitate the digestion of their food, so that they soon become strong, healthy and active. 25c at DuBois, Kolb and Co.

GOOD PROSPECTS

CITIZENS' COMMITTEE TO GO TO WORK AT ONCE.

The committee of citizens to secure pledges of \$6 from 100 business men to secure six lectures for this winter will go to work at once and the entertainments will be known as the Citizens' Entertainment Course. All over expenses will go towards building a Y. M. C. A. structure.

The following have been selected: General Fitzhugh Lee, General John B. Gordon, Will S. Hays, E. P. Elliott, G. W. Bain and the Chicago Glee club.

TO RESIDE IN LOUISVILLE.

Mr. J. O. Dallen, the superintendent of the Louisville division of the Illinois Central, will immediately go to housekeeping in Louisville and this morning a baggage car load of furniture and household effects were brought through from St. Louis for Louisville.



STORK TIME

to women is a term of much anxiety, serious thought and sweet anticipation. Pain and dread, love and joy, come ever changingly.

MOTHER'S FRIEND

diminishes the pain accompanying maternity. With its aid mothers can bring healthy babies, sweet dispositioned babies and babies into the world. Take away the pain of childbirth and you have bliss and security.

Morning sickness, sore breasts and excruciating pains caused by the gradually expanding organs, are relieved by the remarkable soothing balm.

Among the manifold aids to childbirth, *Mother's Friend* has grown in popularity and gained a prestige among rich women as well as poor; it is found and welcomed in the mansion as well as the cabin.

Children, strong intellectually and physically are a duty every pregnant woman owes society.

By lessening the mother's agony of mind and diminishing pain a beautiful influence is wrought upon the child, and instead of peevish, ill-tempered and sickly forms you have laughing humanity that remains a blessing over after to you and its country.

Try a \$1 bottle. Druggists everywhere sell *Mother's Friend*.

Write us for our free book "Motherhood."

THE BRADFIELD REGULATOR CO.,

Atlanta, Ga.

BRILLIANT RECORD OF A NEWSPAPER MAN.

The success which has attended William E. Ourtis, the famous correspondent of the Chicago Record-Herald, is rarely attained by newspaper writers. Beginning his career in Chicago in 1872 as reporter he rapidly rose to the position of managing editor. He resigned that position on receiving a government appointment as secretary of the South American commission.

Mr. Ourtis traveled extensively in Central and South America while in this position, producing several popular volumes as the result of his literary labors. Afterward co-operating with Secretary of State James G. Blaine, Mr. Ourtis organized the work of the bureau of American republics, with the result that he was placed in charge of that organization, and at the time of the World's Columbian Exposition he distinguished himself by his labors as the executive head of the Latin-American department.

As correspondent of the Chicago Record-Herald Mr. Ourtis' travels have carried him into every section of the United States, as well as into all quarters of the globe. His China and Japan letters were published in book form; likewise his letters from England, Germany, and France, as well as those written during his travels in Mexico and South America.

No newspaper correspondent possesses the facility shown by Mr. Ourtis in writing on any of the diversified subjects embraced in his correspondence and making it luminous. Nor is any correspondent followed so closely year after year by the thousands of readers of the Chicago Record-Herald.

On his recent trip to the Holy Land Mr. Ourtis' letters have been read more closely than ever, and his descriptions of that interesting section of the globe as it appears today have been quoted everywhere.

A daily letter from Mr. Ourtis appears in the Chicago Record-Herald.

HOT WEATHER WEAKNESS.

If you feel fagged out, listless and lacking in energy, you are perhaps suffering from the debilitating effects of summer weather. These symptoms indicate that a tonic is needed that will create a healthy appetite, make digestion perfect, regulate the bowels and impart natural activity to the liver. This Herbine will do; it is a tonic, laxative and restorative. H. J. Freagar, Prop., Grand View Hotel, Cheney, Kansas, writes: "I have used Herbine for the last 12 years, and nothing on earth can beat it. It was recommended to me by Dr. Newton, Newton, Kansas." 50c at DuBois, Kolb and Co.

GOVERNOR'S SECRETARY SHOT.

Paris, June 24—A telegram from Eydtukhnen says that two nihilists shot and killed M. Lotz, secretary to the governor of Warsaw, as he was passing through Cosmolini. Neither of the assassins has been arrested.

FULTON MAN DEAD.

Will Hindicston, a well known citizen of Fulton, died of consumption at the home of his sister at Collierville, Tenn., and the remains were buried at Fulton today.

"Lest You Forget"

We will say again that we are headquarters for the very best shoes made.

Our goods are not cheaply-made-up makeshifts.

We are practical shoe men, and when we get in a shipment of goods they must come to our standard of excellence, which we have set away up.

If they don't, back they go.

In this way we can, and do, guarantee satisfaction.

Gentlemen: Let us fit you out in the best shoe made for genteel dressers—The Florsheim \$5 and \$6. We have the W. L. Douglass and others equally as good, too, for \$3.50.

For the ladies we have our own shoe—The Empress—the prettiest shoe you ever saw. And the price—\$3.50.

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To the hustling merchant this is an unknown expression. When his competitors are complaining he is going over his old stock, preparing for a campaign of cleaning out—planning for the coming season. He never allows things to get "dull." At this season of the year he puts on his clearance sales—puts prices on his goods that will clean them out and thereby adds to his supply of cash with which to begin his fall campaign.

By the judicious use of newspaper space he clears out his odds and ends, moves the slow-selling goods and prepares his shelves for his incoming stock.

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"THE LAST DAYS OF POMPEII."



THE SWANS ARE WATCHING A FROG. WHERE IS IT?

E. H. Brown

This signature is on every box of the genuine
Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets
the remedy that cures a cold in one day.

THE RIVER NEWS.

THE STAGES.

Cairo, 18.8—0.4 fall.
Chattanooga, 3.9—0.1 fall.
Cincinnati, 10.4—0.6 rise.
Evansville, 6.8—0.4 rise.
Johnsonville, 2.8—0.5 rise.
Louisville, 5.9—1.0 rise.
Mt. Carmel, 3.6—0.4 fall.
Nashville, 3.2—stand.
Pittsburg, 6.5—0.3 rise.
Davis Island Dam, 4.6—0.5 rise.
St. Louis, 18.3—stand.
Paducah, 6.2—0.1 fall.

Observations taken at 7 a. m. River 4.2 on the gauge, a fall of 0.1 in last 24 hours. Wind southeast, a light breeze. Weather part cloudy and warmer. Temperature 67.
Pell, Observer.

Captain H. Baker is on the sick list today.

The Charleston will leave this afternoon late for Tennessee river.

The Dick Fowler was an hour late out of Paducah this morning.

The Tenbroeck will go on the docks soon for general repairs and also will the Wilford.

The I. N. Hook is awaiting orders to make a trip either up the Tennessee or Ohio.

The Mary Stewart left at noon for Golconda on her return trip. She arrived yesterday.

The John S. Hopkins arrived late for Evansville and departed about noon on her return trip.

The Catherine Davis passed up yesterday afternoon to do some government work on the Ohio.

The Pavonia went up the Ohio river this morning to pick up several barges of ties for the Ayer and Lord people.

The John W. Ailes, which exploded her boilers some time ago, is being rebuilt at Elizabeth, and will be called Haven.

There are over half a dozen towboats laying up at the island. There is little to do now and the rivers are so low that towing is very difficult.

The William Towle will come off the dry docks this afternoon and it will require several more days to finish the smaller repairs and put the paint on.

The towboat people are taking advantage of the present dull season to repair their crafts and the mills are doing a good sundry business with the boat people.

The Monongahela River Coal and Coke company reported several boats busy dropping boats from the upper pools to the harbor and arranging matters for a possible rise at Pittsburgh. The combine has about 25,000,000 bushels of coal loaded for shipment South.

The most enormous raft on record reached St. Louis yesterday from the upper Mississippi. It contains 5,500,000 feet of lumber, and was towed down by the Saturn and Pathfinder, in charge of Captain Geo. Winans. The raft left Stillwater, Minn., June 10th, and its time is best on record for a large raft.

The use of oil as fuel in steamers reduces the force in the boiler and fire room 80 per cent. The steamship Washtenaw is now loading a cargo of salmon at Astoria, Ore., for New York.

direct. The Washtenaw has been driven out of the collier trade by the use of oil as fuel in the steamships on the northwest coast of America, and she goes to New York to be converted into a tank oil steamer. Twenty years ago all salmon from the Pacific coast went by the ocean route, but the carriers changed to railway, and for some years past the salmon shipment have been wholly by rail. Astoria is near the mouth of the Columbia river, and was established in 1819 as a trading post by John Jacob Astor. It was an interesting post for many years, and it figures prominently in the early settlement of the great Northwest.

HIS GRATITUDE.

NOVEL METHOD AN ENGLISHMAN ADOPTED TO SHOW HIS APPRECIATION.

Some time ago an Englishman named John Charlesworth was in Paducah and while here was well treated by Mr. John Connts, of the Red Rock saloon, Mr. James Sherrell and others. When he left he said he would not forget the courtesies shown him, and yesterday Mr. Connts and others received a copy of the Manchester Evening Chronicle, published in the Englishman's home town, containing the following notice:

"Any Englishman passing through Paducah, Kentucky, will do well to call on James Sherrell of Sherrell's hotel; also George Goodman, of Goodman's hotel, where they will be well treated and receive the best product of the states."

This is perhaps one of the most unique advertisements Paducah ever received.

DAWSON SELECTED.

ILLINOIS CENTRAL PIONEER COMMITTEE AOTS—EIGHTEEN COACHES.

The Illinois Central pioneer committee met last night and decided on Dawson for the place for holding the picnic. The date is left to the Illinois Central and will have to be fixed by the higher officials.

The committee has asked for eighteen coaches and at tomorrow night's meeting the coach question will be settled. The colored employees want three coaches and will be dropped off at Princeton where the colored men will celebrate. The music arrangements will also be made Wednesday night. Last year and the year before the coaches were too few and the picknickers were greatly inconvenienced. It is the intention of the committee to prevent it this year, if possible, and to this end it has asked for more coaches.

SMALL CROWD

THREATENING WEATHER REDUCES THE ST. JOHN'S DAY PARTY.

There were few Masons to go out to Benton this morning to attend the St. John day celebration. The following left on the morning train, with Dean's band:

Rev. George W. Briggs, who will deliver an address; E. R. Lemon, John K. Hendrick, O. C. Lee, Geo. Oliver. The Paducah visitors will return on the afternoon train and also will the band in order to get back in time to attend the Pompeii show.

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Mrs. Jennie H. Steele Says:
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Paine's Celery Compound is the world's great leading medicine and life saver. It has no equal for feeding exhausted nerves; it stands first as a builder of the weak and shattered nervous system.

Paine's Celery Compound has long ago proved its powers as a banisher of dyspepsia, rheumatism, neuralgia, kidney disease, liver complaint and as a purifier of the blood. Thousands of men and women, tired out, sleepless, nervous, morose, and despondent, have been given perfect health, strength, and buoyancy of spirits through the well advised use of Paine's Celery Compound. It has given a new and happy life to a vast number of people who were tired of life and suffering.

If your health is impaired; if you are hardened with any weakening or painful malady, use Paine's Celery Compound today; it is specially adapted for your case; it will make you well and strong. Mrs. Jennie H. Steele, Vaughns, Ga., writes thus: "I have suffered for ten years with what the doctors call neuralgia of the liver, and never had any relief from their medicines or anything else until I began using Paine's Celery Compound. I have taken about three bottles and have not suffered any since I first began to take it. I feel that it has saved my life, and hope all who suffer as I have will give Paine's Celery Compound a trial."

CLOSE CALL.

CONDUCTOR HAYS' COMES NEAR BEING KILLED IN HIS CABOOSE.

Conductor Sam Hays, of Jackson, Tenn., came near being killed yesterday at Fulton on the Illinois Central. A misplaced switch caused a train to "sideswipe" his train and the caboose in which Conductor Hays was seated was knocked off the trucks and turned over. He escaped with a painful injury to a leg as he crawled out a window.

HOW TO BE MISERABLE.

A philosopher offers the following excellent rules for those who yearn to be miserable and make others equally unhappy:

If you wish to be miserable, sit down and imagine you are worse off than any one else.

Compare your circumstances in life with those of your wealthy neighbor and wish you were in his place.

Don't thank any one who does you a kind deed, but blame him for not doing more.

If there are any poor and suffering about you, don't lift a finger to help them, but let some one else look after them.

Grumble about the weather and think you could make it better.

Never speak a kind word to a child, but forget that you were one yourself.

Don't give to any charitable object, but save all your money; you may need it some time.

Never smile if you can help it, but frown on every one you meet.

Don't feel obliged to work, but feel that the world owes you a living.

Choose for your associates those who are as near like yourself as possible, and see how much sunshine you can keep out of other people's lives.

If you follow strictly all these rules you will surely be miserable yourself and help to make other people so.

A SPLENDID REMEDY.

Neuralgic pains, rheumatism, lumbago and sciatic pains yield to the penetrating influence of Ballard's Snow Liniment. It penetrates to the nerves and bone, and being absorbed into the blood, its healing properties are conveyed to every part of the body and effect some wonderful cures. Mr. D. F. Moore, agent Illinois Central, Milan, Tenn., states: I have used Ballard's Snow Liniment for rheumatism, backache, etc., in my family. It is a splendid remedy. We could not do without it." 25c, 50c and \$1 at DuBois Kolb and Co.

—Calling cards 75c a 100 at The Sun office.

L. C. EXCURSION BULLETIN.

Cornelian Springs—June 19th, opening ball, one fare, returning June 20.

Lexington, Ky.—June 23d and 24th, one fare, Kentucky Educational Association, returning June 27.

Chautauque Lake, N. Y.—July 4th and July 25th, \$19.95 for the round trip, tickets sold July 4th will be good returning until August 5th, and those sold July 25th will be good returning until August 26th.

Nashville, Tenn.—June 12th, 13th, 14th, 27th, 28th and 29th, July 3d, 4th, and 5th, one fare Peabody Summer School, good returning until July 31st with extension.

Knoxville, Tenn.—June 16th, 17th and 18th, 28th, 29th and 30th, July 11th, 12th and 13th, one fare, Summer school, good returning August 15th.

Denver, Colo., and Utah common points—One fare plus \$2, June 1st to 21st, June 26th to 30th and July 14th to 31st, returning October 31st.

Denver and Colorado common points—\$26.15 round trip, June 22d to 25th and July 1st to 13th, returning October 31st.

St. Paul and common points—\$21.65 round trip June 1st to 30th, July 1st to 4th, July 9th to 31st, good returning until October 31st.

Eddyville, Ky.—Camp meeting July 15 to 27, one fare limited to July 28.

Providence, R. I.—B. Y. P. U. July 6, 7 and 8, one fare plus \$1, limited July 22.

Minneapolis, Minn.—N. E. A. July 5, 6 and 7, one fare plus \$2, limited July 1, with arrangements for extension until October 1.

Salt Lake City, Utah—Grand Lodge B. P. O. E. August 7, 8, 9 and 10, \$36.15 for round trip, limited to September 30.

Tacoma, Wash.—Young Peoples' Christian Union July 16 to 21, \$52.80 for round trip, limited to September 15.

St. Louis, Mo.—Special excursion, round trip \$2. Special train leaves Paducah Saturday morning July 5, at 7 o'clock, tickets will be good returning on regular trains July 5 and 6, and special train leaving St. Louis 11:30 p. m. July 6. No extensions granted. No baggage checked.

Evansville, Ind.—Sunday, June 29, special train leaves Paducah 7:10 a. m. \$1.50, good returning only on special train leaving Evansville 10:30 p. m. same night.

Chattanooga, Tenn.—Southern Educational Association June 27 to July 1, one fare plus \$2, good returning until July 6, with privileges of extension until September 10.

Mont Eagle, Tenn.—Assembly Bible school, July 1, 2 and 3, 23, 24 and 25, one fare for the round trip, good returning until August 30.

Fourth of July—On this line, south of the Ohio river and on July 3 and 4 to all points within 200 miles of Paducah on this line north of Ohio river, at one and one-third fare for the round trip, good returning from southern points July 8 and from northern points July 7.

J. T. DONOVAN, Agent.

ECONOMY OF HAVING

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A trust company receives exactly the same commission as an individual when it serves as an executor or administrator, yet it brings to the management of an estate the combined experiences of several men of great ability in financing and management, instead of that of a single individual.

A trust company, being a permanent institution, there is no danger from deaths like there is in the management by an individual. A trust company, also, has its own strong vaults, burglar and fire proof, and offers every protection from fires and other dangers.

A trust company is in the position to secure better investments than a private individual, as this comes in its line of business, and it can usually find such investments quicker than an individual could. A trust company for the same reason is in a better position to dispose of any property if it should be advisable to do so.

The Globe Bank and Trust Co., besides doing a trust company business, does a general banking business and pays interest on time deposits. Office 306 Broadway.

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Parasols.

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Just received a new lot of fancy and black silk parasols.

Fast black silk serge parasols with steel rod and fancy handle, splendid value for \$1.00 to \$1.50.

Good heavy black silk parasols with sterling silver and pearl handle, steel rod \$2.00 to \$2.95.

Fine colored silk parasols for sun or rain, sterling silver and pearl trimmed handle \$2.50 to \$3.50.

Black silk parasols with solid black handles, especially for mourning, for \$2.00 to \$3.50.

Remnants.

Nice lot of lace, embroidery and val edges in short lengths very cheap. Lawn and dimity remnants, nice for dressing sacques and children's dresses, at reduced prices.

Good bargains in short lengths of wool dress goods await you here.

Purses.

Ladies' leather purse and card case combined 25c to 50c.

Chatelaine purses, of nice leather, 25c, 50c and \$1.00.

Leather bags to be hung at side 25c to 50c.

Fancy Neckwear.

We are showing these novelties in great varieties.

White pique stocks with tie 25c to 50c.

White pique stocks with madras ends 50c.

Fancy colored crepe de chine ties with or without embroidered design on ends, 50c each.

White sheer muslin ties 10c to 25c each.

Beautiful new Windsor ties in fancy colored silks and grenadines, 25c each.

Fancy turn-over collars in embroidered silk and linen 19c to 25c.

Coat Suits.

Cut prices still continue on these goods. All special bargains.

Matting Special.

We have just purchased from a large importer a lot of sample rolls of fine china matting at about 25 per cent. less than the regular price. They are direct from Kobe, Japan the matting center of the world, and were sent out to our matting importer for inspection and being sample rolls you can depend upon it that the quality is the best. We have divided them in four lots at the following prices:

Lot No. 1 12 1-2c.
Lot No. 2 15c.
Lot No. 3 18c.
Lot No. 4 20c.

Come early as the supply is limited.

In Our Shoe Department.

Having lately closed out a big lot of floor goods from one of the leading manufacturers, we are enabled to offer the following at very low prices—First come: first served:

50c buys child's kid strap slipper, solid, 5 to 8.
60c buys child's patent or kid stock, 2 strap, solid, 5 to 8.
75c buys child's kid, 2 strap, solid, 9 to 11.
\$1.00 buys misses one or two strap slipper, solid, 12 to 2.
68c buys woman's one strap slipper, solid.
98c buys woman's oxford tie cheap at \$1.25.
\$1.50 buys woman's patent kid welt sole, heel or spring, cheap at \$2.
Woman's tan low and shoes cut one-half and sizes limited.
\$1.50 buys man's black vici shoes.
\$2.00 buys man's black vici welt shoes.
\$1.50 buys boys black vici shoe, solid.

It will pay you to get our prices on footwear—Your money back if not pleased.

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DAILY THOUGHT.

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—Success.

THE WEATHER.

Partly cloudy tonight and warmer, with probable showers in the northern portion. Wednesday, showers.

The yellow journals are making desperate efforts to kill King Edward off before he is crowned day after tomorrow.

The "human bomb" was all right, but we have a lot of home products of the "bum" variety that we should like to send straight up and keep up.

A Bowling Green man threw a stove lid at his wife and killed his mother-in-law. It was either another case of mother-in-law always being in the way or else of beastly bad marksmanship.

There will be little in the papers for the next few days but the coronation. It is to be one of the events of the century, no doubt, and all the papers and magazines are vying with each other to get the best reports and pictures. There are thousands of Americans in London to witness the ceremonies.

It looks as if all the Democrats connected directly or indirectly with the administration office stealers at Frankfort are out after pie. Every day brings forth the announcement of some new aspirant to high office. There is at least one consolation. All of them can't break in.

The city has a street sweeper and plenty of men to operate it. The present filthy condition of Broadway is inexcusable, and a disgrace to the city. It shows gross negligence on part of some one, especially at this time, when many strangers are expected to attend the spectacular production that is here for a week. Broadway ought to be swept every night.

Grover Cleveland has reached the third-term-discussion stage of the present political agitation. He does not believe that precedent would forbid his being President again, but precedent is not the only thing he has to reckon with. Mr. Cleveland, before he could be President again, would first have to lick a large hunk of his own party and then stack up against the Republican party.

Judge Sanders deserves the thanks of the community for enforcing the cruelty to animals ordinance. There are too many wagons overloaded in Paducah, especially on the wharf. An officer can go down Broadway most any time in the day and make from one to a dozen arrests for inhuman treatment to animals. A man fined yesterday was trying to make one horse pull over 5,000 pounds of iron. There ought to be a law against permitting such creatures to drive even a wooden horse.

The mayor of Zanesville, O., has been leading a rather strenuous life of late. He is evidently not so much as he formerly imagines, for yesterday when he attempted to compel the police judge to dismiss a warrant for drunkenness against a woman, he was

by special request of the judge forcibly ejected from the court room by the chief of police, but not until after the latter had been given an upper cut on the jaw by the doughty mayor, and the chief in turn had landed on the mayor's head with a club. The mayor extended a cordial invitation to the police minion to come out and have another round, but he declined. At last accounts there had been no further agitation, and the judge was still holding police court at the old stand.

The board of equalization of Polk county, Tenn., seems to have done its duty with a vengeance at the last sitting. The Troy News-Banner says of it: "Most of the county equalization boards are mere knots on sticks who make a few changes more just to seem to have earned their salaries than for aught else. But the board in Polk, Tennessee's southeasternmost county, did not take that view of it. The tax rate had been \$1.30, and they wanted it lessened. So they put on their nerves, raised the Tennessee Copper company from \$400,000 to \$450,000, the D. S. C. and I. company from \$400,000 to \$425,000, and then put a raise of \$245,000 on the other taxpayers."

It is a good thing that slanderers of the army do not all reside near Knoxville, Tenn. They had a garden party there the other night, and some yokel with as little discretion as patriotism declared that "two-thirds of the American soldiers who went to the Philippines were hoodlams, and the other third were cowards and bullies." He reckoned without his host. Among his hearers was Lincoln Monday, a survivor of the massacre of Company O at Balangiga, Samar, who straightway gave him the lie. A fight with pocket knives ensued, and the following is the result: The dead, John Kennedy, aged 45; the injured, Alonzo Barger, stabbed twenty times and cannot recover; Charles Hobbs, badly cut about the face, neck and breast; Lincoln Monday, stabbed, jugular vein almost severed.

One by one the time honored fallacies of past generations are being scientifically exploded by modern research. It has just been proven in a Louisville court that the old belief that some people's minds are affected by the moon, as are the tides or the weather, is without reason. A case is on trial in which it is sought to break a will by proving that the testator was not of sound mind, because his mind was affected by the moon. He was "moon-struck," some of his relatives declared, but scientific men have been placed on the witness stand and solemnly ascertained that the theory of fair Luna influencing the minds of men is founded on ignorance and superstition, and that the origin of "lunatic" with our forefathers was due to an absurd hallucination. This is all very regrettable, because it does away with some people's only excuse for being foolish.

A COOL 'UN.

WHY GARDENER KELLER WAS COOL AFTER THE WRECK.

Mr. W. A. Keller, the Illinois Central gardener, who is in the city today, claims the distinction of having been the coolest man in a big wreck some time ago.

He was running into Paducah from Louisville to do a little work here and before his destination was reached a freight train ran into the passenger on which he was riding. Mr. Keller was tossed from one end of the coach to the other and was landed against the water cooler, which was turned over on him. He was drenched to the skin and when Paducah was reached began boasting of his coolness during that wreck and never since has ceased.

Mr. Keller is now working with the depot hospital yard flower beds. He has arranged what he calls a Brussels carpet flower bed in the depot lawn and when it is in full bloom says nothing in the flower line can beat it. He has worked many beautiful figures in the bed in regular order and when the bed is properly cut looks like a real carpet. One end is rolled up to make the resemblance more marked.

CUTTING AT REELFOOT.

Union City, June 24.—There was quite a serious cutting affair at Samburg, on Reelfoot Lake, Saturday night. Bose Hutchcraft, and Mat Wallace got into a difficulty with Jim Kasecker, and it is said that the latter knocked down both of his opponents. In the mix-up Hutchcraft cut Kasecker on the back of the neck, inflicting a serious wound.

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WAS MOST GORGEOUS

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until a great height, when there is an explosion, and he descends in a parachute, illuminated by a red light. This feature will be witnessed again Wednesday and Friday nights.

The "Last Days of Pompeii," under the management of Prof. Raymond, is certainly worth coming miles to see. It is better than a circus, first class vaudeville performance and spectacular exhibition combined, and is the biggest thing ever seen in Kentucky. The fireworks display alone is worth double the price of admission.

The hippodrome contests, serpentine dances, acrobatic feats and grand marches make the spectacle a most fascinating one, and evoke the sincerest applause from the countless multitudes that witness it.

The music by Dean's band is a credit to the musicians, who have had little time to rehearse it. The production will be repeated each night at 8 o'clock and the attendance will increase every evening as the people more fully realize the magnitude of the entertainment. Paducah is the only city in Kentucky outside of Louisville able to secure it, and the prospects are for large crowds every night, from the city as well as surrounding places.

The crowds are well handled by the street car company and there is no drag about the performance. It is hoped that the engagement here will prove profitable as it well deserves to be. The people may never again have the chance outside of the large cities to see anything so wonderful and grand.

A METRICAL MEDLEY.

"One swallow doesn't make a summer,"
O, the Ground Hog grunts to his honey, his love,
When the sun peeps out from the sky,
And the golden glitter of glory above
Gives the promise of Spring—by and by.
And the March flares blows
The white frost off his toes,
And wrinkles the skin on the end of his nose,
O, he's mad, just as mad can be.

The swallow comes up from his nest in the South,
And he hops in the cottonwood tree;
He brings the magnolia leaf in his mouth,
And he sings us his song full of glee.
The hummingbird hums
And the bumblebees hum,
And everyone reckons the Summer has come,
Just as sure as sure can be.

The blossoms are blooming, the buds are all out,
And sparkle with warm April showers;
The Summer is here, there is no room for doubt,
For the earth is all covered with flowers.
The Queen of the May
Has come out to-day,
And she shivers and shakes in her gossamer
As gay—
And wishes she had on her fur
—Frederick Boyd Stevenson, in Pearson's.

Next Year,
"Best next year,"
They always say,
"All your griefs
Will melt away;
All the skies
Will then be blue;
All your wishes
Will come true,
Luck your troublous way will clear—
"Bout next year."

We will do
The things we've planned,
Mysteries
We'll understand,
We will grasp
The shining prize
That is dancing
"Fore our eyes,
Discontent will disappear—
"Bout next year."

Summer shine
An' wintry snow
Swiftly come
An' swiftly go.
Suddenly
You breathe a sigh,
Countin' up
The days gone by.
Still I hope whisper: "Persevere
Till next year."
—Washington Star.

You kin talk about yoh sorrow,
You kin kick about yoh grief;
But it ain't no use to borrow
Trouble. Dat won't bring relief.
You must face the changin' seasons;
So don't complain nor doubt,
You war put on earth for reasons,
An' dar ain't no backin' out.

De winter's mighty chilly
An' de summer's mighty hot,
De roads is long an' hilly
An' dar ain't no restin' spot.
But, honey, don't be tearful,
Jes' let yoh heart be stout.
You might as well be cheerful,
'Case dar ain't no backin' out.
—Washington Star.

Playing the Years Away.
He played with me, long years ago,
And as we romped and ran
I liked to make believe that I
If I grew to be a man.

My little one and I play now,
As he and I did then,
And as we romp I make believe
That I'm a boy again.
—B. E. Kiser, in Chicago Times-Herald.

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Broadway

RHYTHMIC RAYS.

Spring Fever.
Grass commence a-comin'
'Thoo de thavin' aroun',
Ever bird dat whistles
Keepin' noise aroun';
Can't sleep in de mornin',
'Case befo' it's light
Bluebird an' de robin
Done begun to fight.

Bluebird sass de robin,
Robin sass him back,
Den de bluebird scold him
'Twell his face is black,
Wouldn't min' de quollin',
All de mornin' long,
'Cept it wakes me early,
'Case hits done in song.

Anybody wot kin
Wants to sleep as late
Es de folks'll 'low him,
An' f' wish to state
'Case dis ain't no scattah,
But 'twix me an' you,
I could stan' de bedclothes,
Kin' o' latak, too.

Tain't my natchul feelin',
Dis heeah mornin' spell,
I stan' a early risin',
Mos'ly movin' well;
But de v'y minute,
I feel Ap'le's heat,
flessa yo' soul, de bedclothes
Nevah seemed so sweet.

Maatsh, he's a scollin',
'Case de han' is slow,
All de hosses balkin',
Jes' can't muck'em no,
Don't know what's de mattah,
Hit's a funny thing,
Lessin' hit's de fevah
Dat you gits in spring.

—Paul Laurence Dunbar, in Saturday Evening Post.

A Case of Insomnia.

There he twisted and he screamed, and his
mammy didn't know
Wherefore his woe,
—Just a little six months' baby in a city
tenement—
There were half a dozen others and but little
time was spent
In maternal diagnosis of the little shaver's
case,
So he huddled nights and daytimes till the
neighbors round the place,
By the squealings and the squallings of the
youngster driven wild,
Told the mother she must summon a physican
for the child.

Well, she grumbled at the mandate, but at
last the mammy did
As she was bid.
And a bluff and busy doctor, very saggy,
very curt,
Came and keenly made a survey of that
atom masked in dirt.
—Spent exactly 30 seconds in a study of the
case.

Then he shouted to the mammy: "Take a
rag and wash his face!
Youngster's wild for want o' sleep, ma'am
—that's the reason why he cries,
But his mug's so thund'rin' dirty that he
cannot shut his eyes."
Simple thing! And yet the doctor won the
neighbors' grateful praise;
—Youngster dropped asleep at once, sir,
and he slumbered three whole days.
—Lawson Journal.

Have Charity.

Have charity for others' views,
And do not think you're always right
And everybody else is wrong.
If they see things not in your light,
God gave us all our different views,
To best develop each one's soul,
And, though we tread not the same path,
We still may reach the same blest goal.

Forbearance with each other try,
Have charity for others' views;
Forbearance, love and charity,
A wondrous power will infuse
Into the heart, and make the world
Seem like a much more joyous place,
They'll scatter sunshine all around,
And brighten every happy face.

It was Christ's lesson here on earth—
Have charity for all mankind,
And not unjustly to condemn,
But help the weak, the poor and blind,
And try to teach Christ's better way,
With purest thoughts e'er fill the mind;
By thus developing the soul,
Life's greatest blessings we shall find.
—Martha Shepard Lippincott, in Boston Budget.

Little Beanie's Visit to Grandpa's.
I been visitin' my grandpa
For about a week er so;
He's got a pretty garden,
Where all kinds of flowers grow,
'N he's got fields 'n orchards,
That are full of rows of trees,
'N down behind the house there's lots
Of boxes full of bees.

He let me hoe the garden,
'N he let me milk the cow;
I learned to do it splendid,
Soon as grandpa showed me how;
He let me drive the horses,
'N he let me climb the trees,
But every day he told me
Must not go near the bees.

One time he warn't lookin',
So I went down behind
The house to see the boxes,
And now I'm nearly blind,
And when I put my shirt on
I pull it past my knees—
I wonder how dear grandpa knows
I monkeyed with the bees?
—Chicago Times-Herald.

England's North American Territory
The British possessions in North America and the West Indies are larger than the territory of the United States of America, including Porto Rico and Alaska. On the North American continent alone, King Edward's possessions are nearly 1,000,000 square miles larger than those of the United States, and, taking the West Indies and Newfoundland, more than 200,000 square miles larger.—Geographical Journal.

Pre-Inventory Sale AT THE ARCADE All This Week.

Preparatory to taking stock, we will all this week make a slash-breaking, price-cutting sale on everything in the store. It is much easier to count money than merchandise, and we therefore will give you this great offer of buying goods at and below cost. We will not name very many prices, but if you will come to our store we will guarantee that you will get more values than ever before known in any store. Here are a few of the prices we give:

- 10-piece decorated Toilet Set worth \$3.00, sale price \$2.00.
- 12-piece sets, worth \$3.00, sale price \$3.25.
- 100-piece imported German China Dinner sets, worth \$22.00, sale price \$15.00—we cannot buy these sets at this price.
- Beautiful Fancy Dishes from 10c to \$3.00, all marked down.
- Large imitation cut glass Punch Bowls for \$2.00, were \$3.00.
- Fine imitation cut glass Berry Bowls for 10c, worth 20c.
- All glassware marked down.
- Every lamp in the house at cost.
- Every fancy piece of bric-a-brac in the house at cost.
- Six Haviland China Dinner Sets at \$22.00, worth \$35.00.
- Look at the fine pieces in China to be sold at actual cost, just the thing to fill in with your set.

Then Look at These Prices:

- Egg Beaters for 2c; Potato Mashers for 3c; Large Rasting Spoons for 2c; Set of Tea Spoons for 3c; Wooden Bowls for 9c; Cake Pans and Pie Pans for 3c; Pint Cups for 2c; Tin Dippers for 3c; Lamp Chimneys for 2c; Lamp Wick for 1c; Cake Turners for 2c; Table Oil Cloth for 18c a yard; Shelf Paper for 3c; Dress Pins for 1c a paper; Table Tumblers at 2c, and hundreds of other items at and below cost.

All Hammocks go at cost this week.

If you should wish BARGAINS don't fail to visit the Big Inventory Sale at

THE ARCADE

OPPOSITE PALMER HOUSE.

RING 999.

'A STUDY ..In.. SCARLET'

It is one of the most wonderful of detective stories, and will begin in next Wednesday's issue of THE SUN.
This story is by A. Conan Doyle, in which that most wonderful fiction character, "Sherlock Holmes," made his first appearance.
It's a good story, and will, we believe, meet with the approval of our readers.

Advertise in 'THE SUN' if you want best results.

ROYAL BAKING POWDER

ABSOLUTELY PURE
Makes the food more delicious and wholesome

LOCAL LINES.

Cost you 5 cents per line.

Bill has plenty nickery wood at 1230 South Third Street. Mail orders.

I have a fine pasture, plenty of good water for stock. Prices reasonable. G. P. Husbands.

The employees of Johnson's foundry spent yesterday at the lakes, and had a pleasant day fishing.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Price, of South Eighth street, are parents of a fine 13-pound boy, born yesterday.

Miss Nell Lynn is quite ill at her home in the West end.

Taxes are coming in more rapidly this week than heretofore, as the penalty goes into effect July 1st. Yesterday about \$5,000 was collected by City Treasurer Kraus.

Mr. L. A. Washington, the new city engineer, is expected this week to begin work July 1st. The city has been without an engineer for several weeks.

Stationman Jake Elliott is back on duty, after a several weeks' illness.

James Henry Morris, who shot his brother at Smithland about a week ago, has been held for grand jury action. They quarreled over fish.

Albert McCoy, a white boy, was struck over the eye by a stone thrown by a negro, who seemed to be in a tree last night during the performance of Pompeii. He had to be taken home.

State Senator McD. Ferguson has announced himself a candidate for railroad commissioner from this district.

WEDDINGS TOMORROW.

Miss Mary McElroy of the city and Herbert Wallace of Saginaw, Mich., will be married at 7 o'clock tomorrow evening at Ninth and Caldwell streets.

Miss Margaret Gregory and Mr. Claude Andrew Clements, Illinois Central agent at Calvert City, will be married at the Baptist church at Calvert City tomorrow morning at 11 o'clock.

The marriage of Miss Annie Earle Rogers to Mr. Luther Leslie Wells of Cava City, Ky., will take place at Stuttgart, Ark., tomorrow at the home of the bride's parents. The bride-to-be is a niece of Captain R. G. Caldwell of the city and a sister to Miss Elizabeth Rogers, a teacher in the public schools.

FOR REAL ESTATE BUYERS.

\$1,500 buys 6 room desirable house, South Third street, No. 537.

\$3,250 buys 2 story brick house and 3 other houses, lot 75x196. North Sixth street, near Boyd.

\$1,300 buys 5 room Trimble street home No. 926.

\$400 buys high, dry and healthy 40 foot lot opposite Franklin school, South Sixth street.

\$500 buys 40 foot South Third street lot, west side, south of Norton.

\$2000 buys 4-Benton road houses in Mechanicsburg. 1 store. Pay 12 per cent.

Whittemore's 510 Broadway Agency.

Y. M. C. A.

There will be a meeting of the mandolin and guitar club tonight at the Y. M. C. A., and all members are urged to be in attendance.

Tomorrow morning there will be an important meeting of the ladies' committee, and all members of that committee are requested to be in attendance.

Nothing definite has been settled relative to the reception. The management been unable to secure enough members to hold a meeting.

FARM FOR SALE.

Containing about 300 acres one-third of which is timber. Located on the P. and O. gravel road six miles from Paducah and is known as the Wilson place. The new railroad now being built from Paducah to Cairo will pass through southeast corner and detach about four and a half acres. Will sell cheap for cash. For particulars address or call on O. E. Jennings, Paducah, Ky.

MISSIONARY SOCIETY

DELEGATES GATHERING IN FULTON FOR A SEVERAL DAYS' MEETING.

Messdames C. Q. O. Leigh, Amanda Wilhelm, and Misses Jessie Byrd and Lizzie Martin leave this evening at 6 o'clock for Fulton to attend the 23rd annual session of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society of the Memphis conference, which convened at 8 o'clock this evening and lasts until Friday.

The program is quite a lengthy one, and very interesting. There is to be a large crowd in attendance. Presiding Elder H. B. Johnston, is expected to go down tomorrow.

LIT HIS PIPE.

AND THE TURPENTINE SOAKED RAGS COOKED HIS WOUNDS.

Mr. Alex Storrie, the grocer, several days ago, injured two fingers while experimenting with a hazz fan going at full speed, and after binding them with cloths well saturated with turpentine, lighted his pipe.

The turpentine caught fire from the match and in a second his fingers were aflame. He jammed them in his pockets and everywhere else but his mouth, and was painfully burned before he could jerk the rags off his hand. He will hereafter swear off smoking when under the turpentine treatment.

POTTERY WANTS

A LOCATION.

METROPOLIS IS HOT AFTER IT AND CLAIMS SHE WILL LAND.

The Metropolis papers claim that a \$20,000 pottery wants a location, and that Paducah is trying to get it, and so is Metropolis. The mayor there, it is understood, has given the owners an option on clay banks and in addition made other concessions that it is believed will land it. So far as is known nothing is known here of the supposed pottery.

CHART TALK.

AT RESCUE MISSION BY A VISITING MINISTER.

At the Union Rescue Mission, 431 South Third street tonight and tomorrow night at 7:45 Rev. Frank Draper of Allegheny, Pa., will give a discourse from chart of the ages. Something new, yet from the Bible. No charges. No collection. Everybody invited, especially ministers, to hear this grand explanation of God's word. R. W. Chiles, Pastor.

MR. J. D. ELMORE ILL.

POPULAR FORMER COACH INSPECTOR RETURNS TO PADUCAH.

Mr. J. D. Elmore, formerly the coach inspector here for the Illinois Central, is in the city ill. He arrived yesterday from Louisville and is at the boarding house of Mrs. Nichols, in the Little addition. His many friends will regret to learn of his condition although he is not seriously ill.

REAL ESTATE PRICE LIST.

All kind of Paducah real estate and farm homes. Investments. Monthly payment totos. Get the list, free to all. Whittemore's 510 Broadway Agency.

FOR DIVORCE AND THE CHILD.

J. W. Whitelaw has filed a suit for divorce and the custody of his child against his wife, Anne Whitelaw, giving nine years separation the grounds for the action.

TO STUTZ'S

For...

ORANGE FLUFF
ORANGEADE
And IRON KOKO.
Nothing Better.

A. S. HAWKINS, Mgr.

About People And Social Notes.

Mr. E. V. Meadows of Evansville is at the Palmer.

State Auditor Gns Couiter of Frankfort was here today.

Mr. Mat Rawls has gone to Columbus, O., on business.

Mrs. Mat Rawls went to Evansville to visit today at noon.

Miss Julia Scott has returned from a visit to Dyersburg, Tenn.

Judge T. J. Nunn, of Madisonville, was in the city today.

Mr. Lloyd Robertson and daughter have gone to Eddyville to visit.

Mr. James O. Parker and wife, of Evansville, are at the Palmer.

Mr. John Miller, Jr., has gone to Crittenden Springs for his health.

Attorney John G. Miller went to Princeton today at noon on business.

Miss Harriett Wilson left today at noon for St. Louis to visit her sister.

Messrs George DuBois and Douglas Bagby have returned from St. Louis.

Circuit Clerk H. H. Hobson has returned from a two weeks' stay at Dixon.

Mrs. Fannie Allard has returned from a pleasant visit to Kenneth, Mo.

Miss Benlah Sheets of Cairo was in the city last night to attend the fireworks.

Mr. O. L. Duck of Pine Bluff, Ark., will arrive in the city tonight to visit relatives.

Mrs. M. E. Bennett and Mrs. Elizabeth Paley are visiting in New Albany, Ind.

Mrs. Lucy Davis has gone to Newbern to visit her daughter, Mrs. Mary Kidd.

Mr. R. L. Offutt, of the Louisville Courier-Journal, was in the city this morning on business.

Mrs. Louis Hollis went to Dawson at noon today to join her husband who is there for his health.

Master Clyde Crane left this morning for Shawneetown, Ill., where he will spend the summer.

Miss Ella Umbie, of Mayfield, is visiting the families of Messrs. S. B. Pryor and Harry George.

Mr. Rob Fairbanks returned to Benton, Ill., today at noon. He is running a harness shop in that city.

Captain J. F. Browinski of Joppa was in the city today en route home from a business trip to Pittsburg.

Mr. Clarence Milam of Loeb and Bloom's has returned from Indian Territory, where he spent his vacation.

Miss May McFadden and sister Mary, of Cava, Tenn., are visiting Mrs. Emma Poore, 230 North Third street.

Mrs. A. S. Richardson and child, who have been visiting in Jackson, Tenn., for three weeks, will return to the city today.

Miss Catharine Hodge of Waco, Texas, arrived in the city at noon today to visit the family of Judge James Campbell.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Harris of Cincinnati returned home at noon today after visiting the family of Mr. L. Harris, of North Fifth street.

Mrs. E. O. Warlick, of Lexington, Tenn., who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. E. B. Nichols, of the Little Addition, returned home this morning.

Mrs. Lottie Burnham of South Eighth street, has gone to Nashville and Clarksville, Tenn., on a two month's visit. Her two sons, Masters Harry and Clyde left with her.

Miss Ora Landrum of Smithland was in the city today en route home from Cincinnati, where she has been studying music. Her father, Mr. George Landrum, county clerk, met her here.

Conductor F. N. Black left for Louisville at noon today to attend court. He is one of the witnesses in a case against the road in which the value of a mule is being argued and fought for.

Misses Mary Duguid of Murray and Miss May Weber of Hickory Withe, Tenn., arrived in the city last night and are the guests of Miss Benlah Reddick. They were her classmates at Belmont college.

Rev. W. E. Cave and daughter, Miss Belle Cave, went to Gainsville, Va., today at noon to visit. They will be gone about five weeks and during that time there will be no services at the First Presbyterian church as that building is now undergoing repairs.

Alben W. Barkley of Paducah was in

the city yesterday... Hugh Thomas of Paducah was in the city last night... Mr. Will Wright came out from Paducah yesterday to visit his wife who is the guest of Mrs. H. J. Wright... From the frequency of Jamie Brooks' visits from Paducah we judge that he is admiring some of our young ladies... Mr. J. K. Exall of Paducah was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Wash Sunday... Mr. B. A. Bolten of Paducah has accepted a position with the Beaumont Soap company, to travel in Paducah and Southern Illinois. He left today on his initial trip.—Mayfield Messenger.

SOCIAL NOTES.

Mrs. Charles K. Wheeler has issued invitations for Thursday afternoon at 5 o'clock to meet Miss Hodge of Texas.

Miss Henrietta Koger's dance at La Belle park pavilion on Thursday evening is complimentary to her guests Miss Phelps of Washington, D. C., and Miss Isler of Hickman, Ky.

A large crowd enjoyed the delightful hey ride given last evening by Mrs. Jacob Wallerstein complimentary to Miss Aimee Levy, of St. Louis and Mr. Edward Epstein of Louisville.

The Sans Souci club was very charmingly entertained by Miss Caroline Sowell this morning. Miss Angie Thomas won the club prize, and Mrs. David Sanders the visitor's prize.

PADUCAH DISTRICT CONFERENCE.

BISHOP HOSS TO PRESIDE OVER IT IN JULY AT BARDWELL.

Bishop E. E. Hoss of Nashville, Tenn., has written to Rev. H. B. Johnston, presiding elder of the Paducah district, that he will be present at Bardwell July 29-31, and preside over the Paducah District Conference in session there.

Bishop Hoss was elected at the recent session of the General Conference at Dallas, Texas, and is one of the foremost men in the M. E. church, south, and is a fine preacher. Presiding Elder Johnston considers himself fortunate to have secured him, as it is not always easy to have a bishop for the District Conference.

Bishop Hoss will preside over the Memphis Conference at Paris, Tenn., in November, and doubtless wishes to familiarize himself with the conference through its district meetings.

NEW SECRETARY

WILL BE ELECTED FOR THE KENTUCKY PRESS ASSOCIATION.

At the Kentucky Press meeting last year Secretary Ben Morningstar announced that he would not again be a candidate for the position he has filled for several years. Already there are prospects of a lively contest for the place. Mr. Sam S. English, a young Louisville journalist, has entered the race and has secured many promises of support. Other editors being mentioned are James Wallace, of Warsaw; Charlie Hart, of Morganfield, and Irvin S. Cobb, of Paducah. Will A. Wilgus, an honorary member of the association, may also be forced into the contest by his friends.—Hopkinsville Kentuckian.

TRIBUTE TO THE IRISH

PAID BY LORD KITCHENER ON HIS ARRIVAL AT CAPE TOWN.

Cape Town, June 24—Lord Kitchener received a great public ovation on his arrival here this morning. The town was decorated, the streets were lined with troops and the mayor and corporation welcomed the British commander at the town hall and presented him with an address. During his reply Lord Kitchener, referring to the country of his nativity, paid a special tribute to the service of the Irish troops during the war in South Africa.

HAS RESIGNED.

CAPT. E. W. CRUMBAUGH GIVES UP AN EDITORIAL POSITION.

Captain E. W. Crumbaugh, formerly of Paducah, who has been on the editorial staff of the Ashland, Ky., Independent for several months, and previous to that owned the Ashland News, has resigned his position to better look after his interests as special correspondent for several city dailies.

THE SICK.

Mr. Tom Allen of the county is ill from rheumatism.

Subscribe for The Sun.

TIPS

Solves the problem. Anything you need or do not need, "TIPS" will secure or dispose of for you.

The price for advertisements in this column is 50 a line. Cash must accompany the order for all ads. There will be no variance from this rule for anyone.

WANTED—Three lady operators at telephone office. 3t

WANTED—White cook and house girl. Apply to Dr. P. H. Stewart, 1027 Jefferson street. 1t

LOST! LOST! LOST!

White pointer bitch pup; brown spots on head and body; last seen near power house on Broadway Saturday afternoon. Liberal reward will be paid for its return to Rudy, Phillips and Co.'s store.

The Sun will not receive any "Want" or "Local" advertisements except for cash with the order. We are compelled to adopt this rule from the fact that it costs us more in collector's time than we get for the advertisement. This rule will be strictly adhered to, and we trust no one will ask for credit, as we shall be compelled to refuse them.

Respectfully,
The Sun Publishing Co.

ALL RELEASED.

BUCKSKIN BILL MEN ALL GO FREE AT VANCEBURG.

A telegram received last night from Vanceburg, Ky., states that the four Buckskin Bill men arrested there for assaulting a girl last week were all released, as there was nothing in the case.

One of the accused was Bob Hayes of Paducah. The men will rejoin the show at once.

The Little Leaves.
The little leaves are peeping out
Where others slept a year ago.
And they will swing and sway about
While summer breezes sweetly blow.

They'll feel the patter of the rain
And gladly listen in the sun;
They'll shade our paths and not complain,
Their duties will be gladly done.

Each little leaf that struggles through
A happy bud upon the bough
Knows well what it is sent to do,
And will not wait to question how.

And other, stronger leaves will never
Go greedily to tear it loose
And fiercely crowd it out from where
God kindly lets it be of use.

—S. E. Kiser, in Chicago Record-Herald.

The Gladness of Spring.
When spring, with blossom-haunted lanes,
With sudden gusts of rippling rains,
Came danc'ling down the glad young year,
How soon my heart forgot his fear!

And when I heard the lyric note
That floated from the robin's throat,
How soon the sad song in my breast
Sought a deep silence, a deep rest.

Now who had dreamed the April rain
Could cleanse a heart of all its pain?
And who had thought one little bird
Could hush a soul's discordant word?

—Charles Hanson Towne, in Woman's Home Companion.

Don't Worry.
What's the use of fretting?
If you've troubles, try forgetting.
Take things easy—praise or blame—
The world will wag on just the same.

What's the difference, anyhow,
A hundred years from now?
Don't anticipate your sorrow.
When it comes no need to borrow.

Get your sleep out, troubled ones.
You cannot rush the slow old sun.
So let the seasons come and go,
Bringing with them weal or woe.

Use the moments as they fly,
Nor try to help them hasten by.
In life's long race you needn't hurry.
And if you'd win it don't—don't worry!

—Chicago Daily Tribune.

The Letter.
Put on the page whereon you write
Be all the words you send—
Stars of remembrance in the night
Of absence—to your friend.

And whether it be rhyme or prose,
So fashion what you say
That were it written on a rose
More sweet would be the day.

—Frank Dempster, in Youth's Companion.

Are YOU GOING Away?

When you plan your summer trip, be sure to

Have THE SUN

Follow you. Address will be changed as often as you may desire it.

Telephone No. 358.

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Beginning

THURSDAY, JUNE 26.

THE ENGLISH STOCK CO.

Will Present

Henry Irving's Great Play

'THE BELLS'

No Advance in Price.

No More Ladies' Free Nights.

'MEET ME UNDER THE SHADE OF THE PALMS'

No Performance Until

Next Thursday.

LA BELLE PARK THEATRE

Enjoy yourself where nature's own pure breezes blow—and where the eye is charmed with living green.

THREE NIGHTS

Beginning Thursday, and Saturday

Matinee

The Four-Act Comedy Drama

'In the Social Swim'

New Vaudeville Acts, including

the Wonderful Child Artists...

LITTLE GARNIA

Prices.....10c and 20c

Saturday Matinee,

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These glad days

The jolly day off. The merry-making picnic days. The day you go hunting. The day spent fishing. Racetrack day. All happy, hungry days.

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In cans

ready

to

eat

any

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No

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Chicken Loaf,

Veal Loaf,

Beef Loaf,

Lamb Loaf,

Cottage Loaf,

Chicken Famine,

Speckled Trout,

Schrimp,

Lake Cicero,

Squads,

Dried Beef filled

Corned Beef,

Potted Ham,

Deviled Ham,

Viennois Sausage,

Melroe Pats,

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CREAL SPRINGS, ILL.

This favorite health and pleasure resort is now open to the public. The hotel and bath-house being newly refitted, affords first-class accommodations. Beck's orchestra, of St. Louis, will furnish music the entire season. Splendid dance pavilion. Rates, \$7.00 and \$8.00 per week; children, \$4.00. Round-trip railroad rate, good for 30 days, \$2.10. Write for descriptive circular and analysis of mineral waters. R. P. STANLEY, Proprietor.

As to Tristram Shandy.

Starnes is reported to have written a book in writing "Tristram Shandy," the work being free from interruptions by other literary commitments.

Booker Washington's Autobiography. "Up From Slavery," translated into French, German and Italian, is now to be done into English and into Spanish for Cuba.

Would Be a Good Substitution.

An Illinois inventor is using the substitution of printed slides for the brakeman's voice in the announcement of stations in moving trains.

Healthy Old People

say the main thing to do is to keep the stomach, liver and bowels in order if you want to keep well and live long. Good physicians say the same thing, too. The remedy called

RIPANS TABULES

while not mysterious or miraculous in its curative qualities, is a simple formula prescribed by the best physicians for disorders of the digestive organs. Just little Tabules, easy to take, easy to buy and quick to act. If your trouble is Dyspepsia, Bilioussness, Headache, Dizziness, Constipation, Heartburn, and the like, no need of calling a physician. Ripans Tabules contain exactly what he would tell you to take. Permanent cure follows a fair trial. No uncertainty about it.

ONE GIVES RELIEF.

There is no remedy any medicine of ill health that is not provided by the combination of a small amount of the active principle of the stomach, liver and bowels. A family bottle containing 10 tablets is sold for 10 cents. For children the above-mentioned mark, 10 for 10 cents, are recommended. For sale by druggists.

SEASONABLE GOODS!

Hammocks, from 60c to \$4.00 each,
Ice cream freezers, from \$1.10 to \$13.00.
Water coolers, from 90c to \$6.50.
Also cooler-stands.
Refrigerators and ice-boxes, from \$4.50 to \$85.00.
Sprinkling hose, 8c to 30c per foot.
Gas and gasoline stoves at cost.
Screen doors and windows at cost—a large variety.
4 baby carriages, 25 per cent. below cost.

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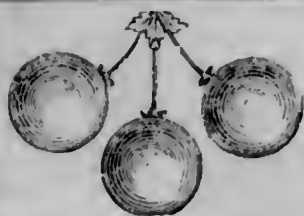
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The Best Wines, Whiskey, Tobacco and
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The Only Old Reliable
Licensed Pawn Broker
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Will not mislead the people. Will still continue to lend money
at 5 per cent. on diamonds, watches, pistols and other valuables.

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OF COURSE You Saw the Flower Parade

Everybody did. That swell rig [which captured
FIRST PRIZE belongs to us. We rent it and
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of all. Don't forget our pony and trap.

TULLY LIVERY CO.,

FOURTH AND COURT.

THE ELITE BOWLING ALLEY.

Has changed hands and is now in first-class con-
dition for fine sport and good, healthy exercise.
You should try this sport. 406 Broadway.

BRADLEY WILSON.

PROP

POESIES OF THE POETS.

Levi's Labor Lost.
She went three years to boarding school
Away down east somewhere;
She was the only daughter of
A proud old millionaire.
It cost three thousand dollars per.
But daddy, being fond of her,
Put up and didn't care.
She studied music in Berlin
And also in Paris;
And pa was fond of boasting of
The artist she would be.
She spent three years abroad, and
then,
One day, came sailing home again
To grace societies.
Pa bought a grand piano; oh
How she could play the thing!
It seemed as easy as you please
For her to break a string—
Ah, yes, it was a treat to sit
And hear her rip things out of—
Moreover, she could sing!
She fell in love, as maidens will,
And what did daddy say?
He stormed around outrageously,
Wherefore she ran away!
Her hubby gets ten dollars per
And might afford to buy for her
A few sharp she could play.
—E. E. Kiser, in Chicago Times-Herald.

An April Shower.
Mark! hear the warm rain falling
From April's changeable skies;
The wild flowers in the woodlands
Laugh out in sweet surprise,
As, awakened from their dreaming
Beneath the last year's leaves,
They set on hill and meadow
This web the springtime weaves.
The robin in the maple
Sings fitfully and low,
As if but half remembered
The song he used to know;
His little heart is happy,
As from his burnished wing,
In pauses of his singing,
He shakes the rain of spring.
The huds on elm and willow
Seem growing as we look;
Spring legends are repeated
By every breeze and brook.
The air is full of fragrances,
The sky is brighter blue;
One hour of April weather
Has made the old world new.
—Eben E. Rexford, in Golden Days.

The Unfailing Consolation.
How beautiful to be dead!
Where nothing dreams or grieves,
To lie where sunshine weaves
The shadows of the leaves
Above my head.
How blessed to be dead!
How beautiful to be dead!
The anguish to forget,
The turmoil and the fret,
The sharpness of regret—
All calm instead.
How graceful to be dead!
How beautiful to be dead!
To be alone again,
Safe from the struggle vain,
The tired, instant pain,
The noise overhead.
How peaceful to be dead!
How beautiful to be dead!
Life, I have borne thee long,
But all thy strife and wrong,
Some day shall melt to song,
And then be fled.
Some day I shall be dead.
—Samantha Whipple Shoup, in N. Y. Independent.

Jim and Joe.
Says Jim: "There's Joe;
I wouldn't be
Like him, you know,
For I kin see
Mistakes he's made.
I'll let you know
There'd be a change,
If I was Joe!"
Says Joe: "There's Jim;
I wouldn't make
Mistakes like him.
For mercy's sake!
They're plain enough
To all but him.
There'd be a change
If I was Jim!"
When God made this
Old world He gave
To Jim an' Joe
A place to live;
But no one since
It's come to pass
Has furnished 'em
A lookin' glass.
—Indianapolis Sun.

The Little of the Field.
It is not ours to bask in sheltered spaces
And sunlit borders down the garden
wall,
Nor feel, like night-dews on our lifted
feet,
The tinkling fountain's wind-blown
waters fall.
We are but field flowers, set unkempt, un-
tended,
In careless clusters 'mid the grasses
blithe,
The oxen's hoofs trample us down un-
fended,
Nor can our sweetness stay to-morrow's
scythe.
Yet we are blest above the queenly
roses—
Unmarked to grow, to wither all unwept,
Then when on earth our little lifetime
closes,
To bloom immortal in the Master's text.
—William Tierney Woods, in Youth's Com-
panion.

The Little Lile.
He used to chide his wife because
She grieved over small affairs;
"My dear," he'd say, "keep back your
tears
For more important cares.
"Pass over the petty ills that serve
To vex the foolish who,
When great ills come, have not the
strength
They need to bear them through!"
"I never fret over little things,
But brush them all away,
Remembering past pleasures through
The trifles of to-day!"
But yesterday he filled the air
With horrid sounds of woe,
Because a throbbing little spot
Was on his little toe.
—E. E. Kiser, in Chicago Times-Herald.

Prayer.
Weary and worn, by toll outdone,
Humble and broken, bowed, depressed;
No battle gained, the fight not won,
I come to Thee for rest.
And Thou wilt nowise cast me out,
Although I come not till I need;
Unto the humble soul without
Thou givest heed.
Give me Thine aid and grace to see,
Make me to feel and know at length,
To cast my pride and call on Thee—
This weakness is my strength.
—Atlanta Constitution.

The Point of View.
When on the curb you waiting stand
And see the gripman wave his hand,
And pass you by, you rage in vain
In anger at his rude disdain.
But when you're safely fixed inside,
And some outsider wants to ride,
You smile and hear his pleading call,
And somehow do not care at all.
—Washington Star.

FROM BROOKPORT.

A FEW MATTERS OF INTEREST TO THE PUBLIC REPORTED.

Brookport, Ill., June 24.—Mr.
Mitchell Wood and Miss Nora Jackson
were married in a huggy at Union-
ville a few days ago. They secured a
license and drove over where their
favorite minister was holding a meet-
ing, being united while sitting in the
huggy.
Mr. John May who came here from
Virginia about eight months ago and
went into business, having built up a
good trade, died here a day or two
ago.

WHY THEY MARRIED.

An editor sent out circular letters
to a large number of married men
subscribers and asked them why they
married. Here are some of the an-
swers:
I didn't intend to do it.
Because I did not have the experi-
ence I have now.
Married to get even with her moth-
er, but never have.
That's what I've been trying for
eleven years to find out.
I yearned for company. Now we
have it all the time.
I thought it would be cheaper than
a breach of promise suit.
Because Sarah told me that five
other men had proposed to her.
That's the same fool question my
friends ask me.
I wanted a companion of the oppo-
site sex. N. B.—She is still opposite.
The old man was going to give me
his foot, so I took his daughter's
hand.
Because I asked her to have me she
said she would; I think she's got me.
Because I thought she was one
among a thousand; now I think she is
a thousand among one.
I was lonesome and melancholy and
wanted some one to make me lively.
She makes me very lively.
Have exhausted all the figures in
the arithmetic to find an answer to
your question; between multiplica-
tion and division in the family and
distracted in addition the answer is
hard to arrive at.

CONSTIPATED BOWELS.

To have good health, the body
should be kept in a laxative condition
and the bowels moved at least once a
day, so that all the poisonous wastes
are expelled daily. Mr. G. L. Ed-
wards, 142 N. Main St., Wichita,
Kansas, writes: "I have used Herb-
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for the past ten years, and found it a
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FUNERAL OF THE

LATE MRS. ORR.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Nancy
Orr, who died in St. Louis, took place
this afternoon at 2 o'clock, burial at
Oak Grove. The following were the
pall bearers: Marshal James Crow,
Captain James Collins, Officers Ed-
ward Clark, Emilie Gourinax, Thomas
Potter and William Rogers.

PRESS CLUB CONVENTION.

Boston, Mass., June 24.—The inter-
national league of press clubs will
hold its annual convention in Faneuil
hall this week, beginning to-day.
The delegates are to receive many
courtesies. The incident looked for-
ward to with the greatest interest is
the banquet at the Somerset on Wed-
nesday evening, at which President
Roosevelt will be a guest.

BASEBALL YESTERDAY.

American Association—Louisville
8, St. Paul 6, Indianapolis 4, Minne-
apolis 3, Columbus 17, Milwaukee 4,
Kansas City 3, Toledo 1.
National League—Boston 5, Phila-
delphia 1, Brooklyn 3, New York 1,
Pittsburg 7, Chicago 2.
American League—Chicago 8, De-
troit 0.

SUES FOR \$20,000.

Mayfield, Ky., June 24.—Mrs. E.
M. Cole has filed a damage suit of \$20-
000 against the Illinois Central Rail-
road company. She also includes En-
gineer Lee Eaker and Fireman Lough
in the suit. Her husband was killed
on June 6 near Pryorshurg by a
train running over him.

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REPROACHES US.

The cows are masters of all they
survey in Paducah, and they survey
the whole city. The women who
have nice yards are very much dis-
gusted with the city council in defeat-
ing the cow ordinance.—Mayfield
Messenger.

Editors R. B. Thompson and J. T.
Kimball of the Metropolis Herald,
were in the city last night with the
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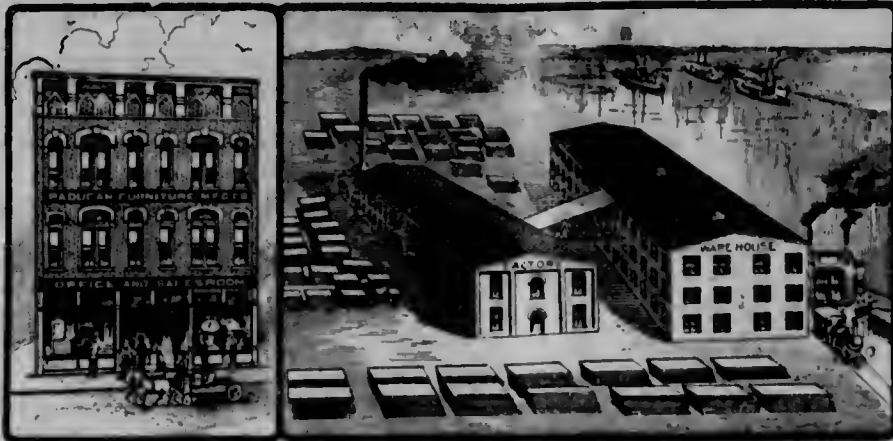
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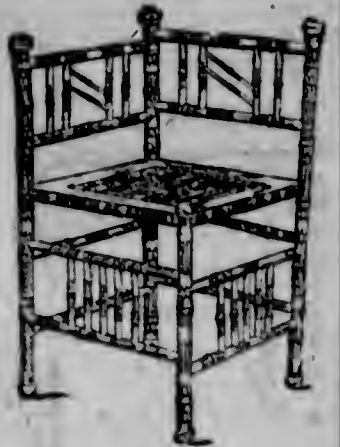
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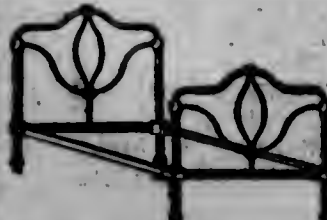


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